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WESTERLY SUSPICIONS UNFOUNDED

Wheelman in Lower Pawcatuck Not German Spy, But Yale Investigator—Brown Necrology of Local Interest—Henry Packard, French Refugee, Buys North Stonington Farm—Benefit for Soldiers' Shoe Fund Planned.

For the past fortnight a man in khaki and riding a bicycle has created a suspicion in lower Pawcatuck and vicinity by reason of taking surveys and observations, and without making his mission known to those who saw him at work.

In the necrology of Brown university for 1916-1917, prepared by Mrs. Louise Prosser Bates, keeper of graduate records, and announced in connection with annual commencement, are the following of special bulletin interest.

The transmission line of the Narragansett lighting company, being constructed between Providence and Westerly, is steadily nearing completion, and when completed Westerly will get the benefit of improved lighting and power service.

Charles Wilson, a painter from Providence, was down and out in Coggeshall street Tuesday night and was gathered in by Policeman McKnight.



McEllian Elm 1775. WINDHAM COUNTY ON THE MOHEGAN TRAIL (Continued from Page Two)

land. A part of the land was held in his name until about the year 1800. The first royal patents were to Messrs. Thompson, Saltonstall, Wolcott, Humphrey, Davy and others.

When the first settlers of New Roxbury, now Woodstock, came to that place, they remained for a few weeks in the first encampment until lots could be drawn for home lots, minister's lot and school lots.

Immediately after the receipt of the news of the Battle of Lexington, April 19, 1775, General Samuel McEllian of Woodstock, Conn., hastened with his troops of horse, for Cambridge.

Bridgeport—Charles H. Shapiro of Bridgeport, a lawyer, defeated Dr. George H. Cohen of Hartford as a delegate to represent the small towns in this state at the American Jewish congress in Washington in September. A total of 1,894 ballots was cast, Shapiro securing 1,181 of them.

perhaps be given opportunity to work at his trade in the county jail at New London.

Henry Packard, a former manufacturer in the city of Lisie, France, who with 80,000 others was driven from home by the invasion of Germans two years ago, is, with his brother-in-law, Charles Zuck, negotiating for the purchase of the Hasbaw farm in North Stonington.

Mr. Packard was at the office of Judge Herbert W. Rathbun in Westerly Wednesday and related in some detail the horrible incidents of the great war.

Local Laconics. Company B, Stonington, C. H. G., held an out-of-door drill Wednesday night.

Two automobiles filled with gypsies passed through Westerly Wednesday, bound eastward.

The red mercury in the Red Cross thermometer across above the 77.00 mark Wednesday noon.

Many cottagers arrived at Watch Hill Wednesday and indications foretell a prosperous season.

The executive committee of the Westerly Housewives' league held a session in the Memorial building Wednesday.

More than \$1,000 of the \$3,000 allotted to Stonington in the Red Cross campaign was subscribed up to Wednesday noon.

Miss Alice Pendleton of Westerly and William McDermott of Andover were spending the night by Rev. Newman Mathews.

The Pawcatuck company of the Third regiment, F. H. G., has received no orders yet to participate in the big parade at New London July 4.

Lake unto the American flag, that iron fence between the sidewalk and roadbed of the Pawcatuck bridge, on the Westerly section, is still there.

The sum of \$15 is named as the minimum contribution to the Red Cross in Westerly. All contributions can be on the installment plan, if desired.

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The theatre, orchestra and entertainers will be given free, and admission tickets which will be sold in advance. No tickets will be on sale at the theatre.

MOOSUP

Woman's Missionary Society Phars Report of Norwich District Meeting—Generous Gifts to Red Cross—Children Beat Out All Other Towns of the State in Number of Gardens.

Tuesday afternoon the Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church held the last meeting for the season in Mrs. Ada Hill, Devotion exercises were conducted by the president, Mrs. H. E. Main. A very interesting report on the annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church, Norwich district, held at Stafford Springs May 21, was given by Mrs. J. C. Gallup, who also finished reading the book World Missions and World Peace.

Mrs. H. E. Main read a selection entitled Making Mothers of Men. Mrs. J. O. Main read an article on A Medical College for Women in China. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Class Picnic. The members of Plainfield High school sophomore class went to Wood park on a picnic Wednesday, leaving Central Village at 9 o'clock. The day was fine and the class greatly enjoyed the outing.

Parish School Closes. All Hallow's parochial school closed Wednesday afternoon for the summer. Graduating exercises will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in All Hallow's church.

Personal Interests. Miss Gladys Codlin of Pembroke hall, Brown university, Providence, came to her home on Prospect street Wednesday afternoon for the summer.

Edwin E. Main of Meriden, who recently enlisted in Company E, Fourth reserve engineering regiment, is spending a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Main, in Almyville. He expects to go into camp next Monday and will soon go to France, where he will serve in a railroad unit.

Gifts to Red Cross Chapter. The Moosup room for Red Cross work recently in the store owned by E. E. Salisbury on Main street, has been changed to the room over the Prospect street garage and is opened for work on Tuesdays and Fridays. At the present time bandages, handkerchiefs, etc., are being made.

Members of the Red Cross committee are most grateful to all who have thus far so willingly and generously contributed in work, material and funds.

Following is the list of money received: Deborah Avery Putnam chapter, D. A. R., \$10; Ladies' Benevolent society, Vaureville, \$5; Chautauque circle, Moosup, \$5; Thursday club, Moosup, \$5; M. M. Girls, Plainfield, \$10; Bachelor Girls, Moosup, \$5; Central Fire Co., No. 129, Vaureville, \$5; Daughters, \$5; Girls' Friendly club of Plainfield, \$5; L'Union choral, \$15; total, \$139.52.

Junior's Did Decorating. The members of the junior class, Plainfield High school, decorated the stage at the People's theatre Wednesday afternoon for the graduating exercises held in that theatre Wednesday evening.

CHILDREN'S GARDEN WORK. Wonderful Progress Being Made—370 Young Farmers, Beating Out All Other Towns in the State. Under the direction of Warren H. Sloss, garden supervisor, the work in children's gardens in the town of

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Great interest is being taken by the children in the rural districts and there is keen rivalry between the children of the Black Hill and the Green Hollow sections of the town. These are the two sections which made such an excellent showing at the exhibition held in the town hall last October, and with the progress now being made by these children, the other parts of the town will have to work hard to excel them.

In connection with the work each child is provided with an excellent record book in which, as part of his duties, all expenditures and all receipts from the gardens must be carefully accounted for. At the close of the season each child will write a report and a story of the work he has done and the results accomplished. Parents can help greatly by seeing to it that their children keep the account books correctly and by encouraging the children to persevere when weeds grow fast and the sun is hot. It is impossible for one man to cover the whole town every day, and children need encouragement every day. Every one

who gives encouragement to the children is aiding in the work.

Big Canning Club. There are already 150 children who are to take up the canning club work in addition to the work on the gardens. Plans are being made to have demonstrations of canning work in various parts of the town, and when these demonstrations are announced parents as well as children will be welcome to attend.

If the interest and enthusiasm thus far shown can be maintained, there is no doubt of the great value to the town in increasing production and conserving the products that will result.

Committee Votes Extra \$500. The town has appropriated \$500 for the work. The committee appointed by the town to carry out the vote voted to raise an additional \$500 by private subscription, said amount to be apportioned \$25 to each section of the town and the members of the committee in that section to be charged with raising the sums. Every one is therefore invited to contribute such amounts as he may feel like giving to the work, and the money may be handed to any member of the committee. Each member of the committee is to make a report on the amount raised at the next meeting, Monday evening, June 25.

Everybody's Work. Several have given so much in land and labor that everyone should feel this to be a work for the public good to which he or she can contribute something even though the amount be small.

Members of Committee. Following is a list of the committee members to whom subscriptions may be handed: Plainfield—S. T. Butterworth (or Sidney Payne) Rev. W. A. Keefe, Henry Dorrance, Edward Hall. Moosup—Henry Cray, Floyd Cranks, Rev. J. E. McCarthy, Frank Emerson, Frank Miller. Central Village—Charles Fletcher (or E. J. Gallagher), Charles Braag, J. L. Chapman, H. Beecher Brown. Vaureville—A. A. Atwood, J. S. Phillips, E. J. Farrell, J. E. Elliott.

Southington—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin C. Cowles of Southington Monday celebrated the 60th anniversary of their marriage. During the day there were nearly 100 visitors.

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